

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND GRANT AWARD ANNOUNCEMENT



To: Senator Sherrod Brown
Senator Robert Portman
Representative Marcy Kaptur

The National Park Service is pleased to provide you with the following information on a Land and Water Conservation Fund grant award that is ready for public release.

The LWCF State & Local Assistance Program provides matching grants for local and state park projects outside national park boundaries. LWCF grants are locally determined and competed at the state level through a process designed and managed by our state partners. These grants help build and protect a "seamless system of parks" from back-yard to back-country.

Since 1965, the National Park Service has provided more than 40,000 LWCF grants to states and local communities. LWCF funding is separate from NPS operational appropriations, and comes primarily from off-shore oil lease revenue through annual congressional appropriation.

Date: October 1, 2021 Grant No: 39-01501

Amount of Grant Award (Federal Share): \$2,516,500.00

Total Project Cost: \$5,033,000.00

Project Title

Maumee Bay Boardwalk Replacement

Project Sponsor and Address:

Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Parks and Watercraft 2045 Morse Road, C-3

Columbus, OH 43229

Scope of the Grant:

The Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Parks and Watercraft will replace a 0.7-mile portion of an existing 2.4-mile boardwalk at Maumee Bay State Park. The scope of the grant includes design, engineering, permitting, and construction.

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The Land and Water Conservation Fund grants-in-aid program provides matching grants to States and through States to local units of government for the acquisition and development of public outdoor recreation areas and facilities.